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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

Having fast, cheap, home broadband is very important to me since I do a lot of cloud based computing and video conferencing at home. Local providers have given me unrivalled speeds at cheaper prices than the major companies.

I had internet from Comcast in the past and they were such a painful company to deal with. Please keep broadband competition! Allowing small companies with strong business acumen to thrive is a critical part of a capitalist economy, allowing the majors to push these companies down should not happen.

I sincerely hope you do not discontinue the opportunities for local providers.

Yours faithfully,

Chris Leader